

CSWC Operational Period Summary

0600 January 16 2015 to 1800 January 16 2015



Sunset at Mono Lake, Mono County on 01/15/2015.

Photo Credit: Jeffrey Sullivan

Note: [Report changes/updates are in blue](#)



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SITUATION SUMMARY

911 Outage, Kern County

- On 01/16/15, at approximately 0640 hours, two 9-1-1 trunks for Kern County Sheriff went out of service from the Ridgecrest tandem in Verizon's Territory. Calls were routed to their 10 digit number. Also affected were Kern County Fire trunks, a secondary PSAP, which are were being sent to a 10 digit number.
- It is reported that the cable was damaged by bullet holes. The technician responded to site to make repairs.
- CUEA and Cal OES Duty Officers monitored the situation.

Gas Leak, Van Nuys, Los Angeles County, SPILL: 15-0296

- On 01/16/15 at 1145 hours, Southern California Gas, contacted the CSWC and reported a natural gas release from a 3 inch pipe in an industrial area in Van Nuys, Los Angeles County.
- The pipe was struck during a 3rd party excavation at approximately 0959 hours.
- There were voluntary evacuations of an unknown number of individuals.
- Per the Cal OES Southern Region via Los Angeles County, as of 1317 hours, the leak had been repaired and all evacuations were lifted.

Oily Birds, San Leandro, Alameda County, SPILL: 15-0297

- On 01/16/15 at 1219 hours, the CSWC received a report indicating that a large oily sheen was observable off the coast of San Leandro, Alameda County.
- The reporting party advised that they observed oiled birds in the area. An unknown number of birds were reported deceased.
- The CSWC made full notifications and the Cal OES Duty Officers are monitoring.

Proclamations

A Proclamation extension for the City of Camarillo, Ventura County, was received for the 2014 December Storms with no additional requests for assistance.

Weather of Concern

- No significant Weather Watches or Warnings are in effect.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County: http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

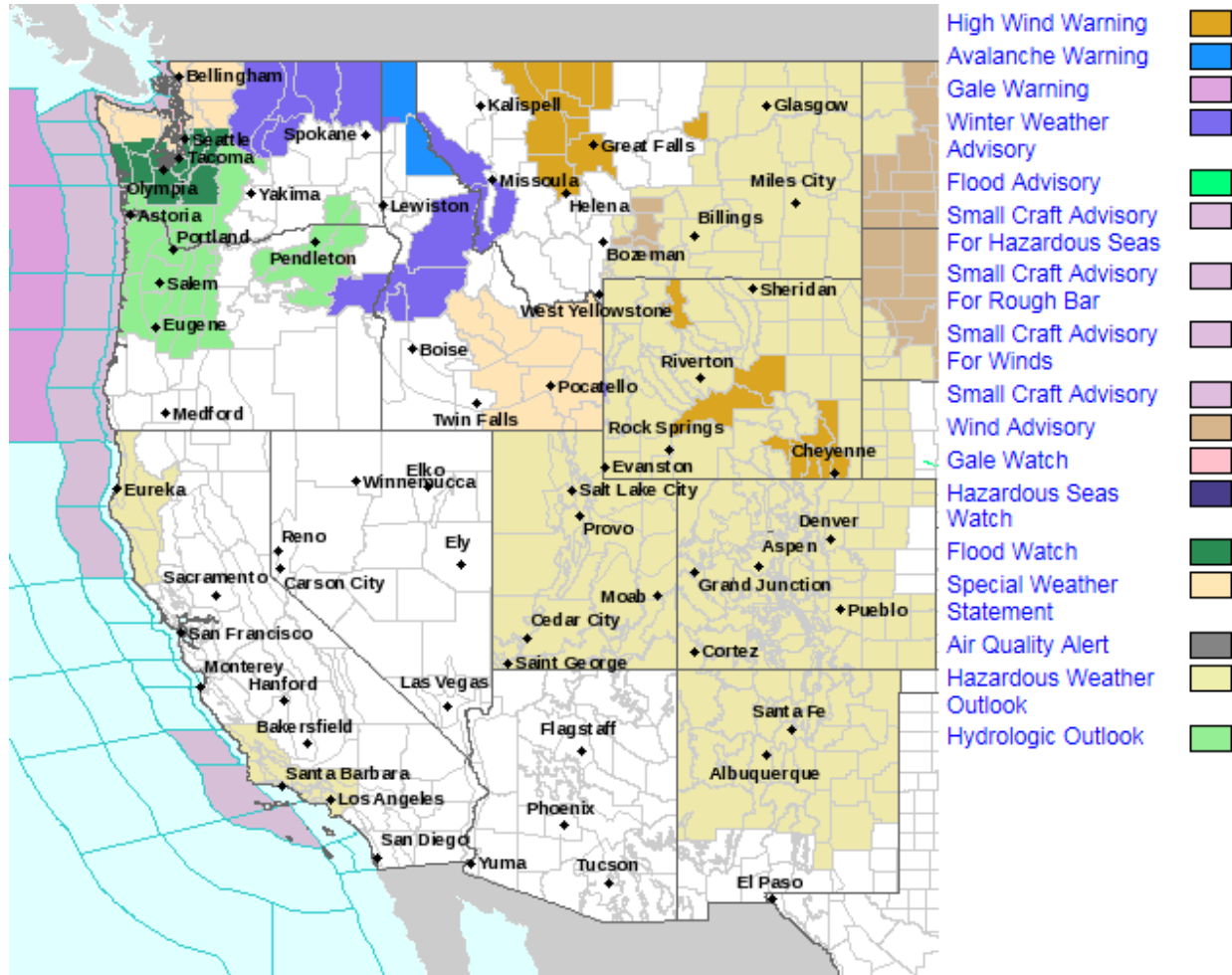
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

A series of weak low pressure troughs and frontal systems will move through Northern California between now and late Sunday. Showers will gradually decrease today as the first of these systems exits the region. The second one will produce moderate to heavy rain in far northwestern California tonight and Saturday with lighter amounts farther east and south. The final system will reach the North Coast early Sunday and spread light to occasionally moderate rain to southern and eastern areas by late Sunday. The total rainfall, starting with the first wave that reached the region Thursday night, through Sunday could reach 3 to 6 inches in far northwestern California, half an inch or more as far east as Alturas and as far south as Clear Lake, and a trace to 0.30 inches elsewhere. Snow levels will be 6000-7000 feet much of the time. Monday will be mostly to partly cloudy as the weather pattern begins to transition to high pressure and light to moderate northeast/offshore winds Tuesday through the end of the week.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

A weak offshore pressure gradient will produce light east and northeast winds with warm temperatures across Southern California today and Saturday. Local winds of 10-15 mph with gusts to 20 mph will be possible during the night and morning hours across the windier passes through Saturday morning. High temperatures will run 5-10 degrees above normal across most areas the next two days with highs in the 50s for the mountains and 70s across lower elevations of Southern California. The San Joaquin Valley will continue to see strong surface based inversions, resulting in widespread stratus and fog through the weekend. Elsewhere, periods of high clouds can be expected over the rest of Central California this weekend with mostly sunny skies further south. Minimum relative humidity will drop into the teens during the next two afternoons below 5,000 feet. Sunday into early next week, the ridge over the area will de-amplify, which will lead to cooler temperatures and light onshore flow. A very weak system may lead to trace amounts of rainfall late Sunday night in the Sierras north of Yosemite National Park. Other areas will see an increase in clouds Monday while low clouds and fog may return to the coast. Expect high temperatures to return to near normal readings for this time of year during the first half of next week along with light winds. By next Thursday or Friday, a strong ridge is expected to redevelop off the coast which will lead to above normal temperatures by next weekend. Gusty offshore winds may develop late next week. No precipitation is expected during the next 7 days.

STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Jan, 16th 2015 at 5:40:05 pm MST

FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 1

Southern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Magnitude 6.0 Earthquake, American Canyon, Napa County

- Cal OES and FEMA announced that the Major Disaster declaration for the South Napa earthquake will also include the Individuals and Households Program under the Stafford Act. This amendment makes assistance available to help homeowners and renters recover from the earthquake.
- As a result of President Obama's major disaster declaration, the U.S. Small Business Administration declared Napa and Solano counties, making residents and business owners eligible to apply for low-interest physical loss disaster loans. This declaration also made available low-interest Economic Injury Disaster Loans (EIDL) for businesses to apply in the primary counties of Napa and Solano, as well as the contiguous counties of Contra Costa, Lake, Sacramento, Sonoma, and Yolo.

Recovery Activities

Public Assistance

- RPA: 63 RPAs were received and 14 have withdrawn for a total of 49 FEMA approved open applications.
- Kickoff Meeting: 56 Kickoff Meetings have been completed leaving 1 remaining to be scheduled once through FEMA's review queue. It is currently anticipated all kickoff meetings will be complete by 1/7/2015.
- PW: 215 PWs are anticipated to be written as a result of the Napa Earthquake. Currently, 75 PWs are in draft, 63 PWs are entered into the federal database system, 51 of which have been obligated.
- Exit Briefing: 11 applicants have had Exit briefings conducted.

Individual Assistance

- The FEMA and State VAL continue to work with nonprofit organizations in Napa County regarding Long Term Recovery efforts. The Napa Earthquake Recovery Group, aka, eNERGy will be holding a general meeting.
- Cal OES IA Voluntary Agency Liaison (VAL) continues NGO coordination in Solano County. The Vallejo Earthquake Recovery Group (VERG), a long term recovery group, has formed and has established by-laws and elected an Executive Board. United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) will provide case management training to local organizations in Napa and Solano counties.
- The registration deadline for individuals and businesses to request FEMA and SBA assistance closed on Monday, 12/29/14.
- Assistance Centers – The Local Assistance Center (LAC) in Napa transitioned to an SBA DLOC on Tuesday 12/30/14. The smaller operation maintains a presence by SBA staff. Hours of operation are 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

2014 Statewide December Winter Storms

On 12/22/14, Governor Brown declared a State of Emergency in Marin, Mendocino, San Mateo, and Ventura Counties as a result of the statewide storms impacting California. At this time, Cal OES Regions and Recovery continue to work closely with all impacted operational areas to assess the impacts, losses, and costs of the December Winter Storm.

Recovery Activities

Public Assistance

- IDE field validations have been completed in Tehama, Marin, Sonoma, Lake, and San Mateo Counties.

Individual Assistance

- On 1/2/15, SBA declared the primary county of San Mateo and the contiguous counties of Alameda, San Francisco, Santa Clara, and Santa Cruz a disaster area.
- On 01/07/15, the San Mateo County South San Francisco Local Assistance Center (LAC) located at 329 Miller Avenue, SSF, transitioned to an SBA DLOC and will remain open Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. – 6 p.m. The DLOC [closed](#) on 01/15/15, at 6 p.m.
- On 1/16/15, a DLOC will operate at the Fair Oaks Community Center located at 2600 Middlefield Road in Redwood City. The DLOC will operate from 2pm-7pm on Friday only and will provide outreach to residents of the Harbor Trailer Park.
- On 01/07/15, SBA declared the primary county of Tehama and the contiguous counties of Butte, Glenn, Mendocino, Plumas, Shasta, and Trinity a disaster area.
- On 01/06/15, Tehama County opened a LAC at the Red Bluff Community Center at 1500 South Jackson Street, Red Bluff. LAC operations are 01/06/15, through 01/08/15, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. On 01/09/15, the LAC will transition to an SBA DLOC and will remain open Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. The DLOC will close on 01/16/15 at noon.



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CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC, Inland, Coastal, and Southern REOCs and the Santa Barbara County EOC are activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued an Executive Order on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought. Specifically, through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate a biweekly state interagency conference call regarding drought community impacts.

CAL OES Missions

Cal OES Open Missions

- **2015-LAW-8315**, On 01/16/15, the IERCC advised of a spot "SOS" activated at GPS coordinates 37.30.41N 119.18.52W which plots near Beasore Rd west of Norris Creek in Madera County. The Cal OES Law Duty Officer (LDO) was contacted and is coordinating the mission.

Cal OES Closed Missions

- **2015-LAW-8303**, On 01/16/15, the AFRCC called to advise of a downed aircraft near Santa Maria, San Obispo County. AFRCC requested Cal OES locate and silence the ELT. Cal OES LDO was contacted and coordinated the mission. At 1605 hours the ARFCC advised that the beacon is now silent, LDO advised and the mission was closed.



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.